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# STATE OF DELAWARE BOARD OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: BOARD OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, November 12, 2019 at 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: Division of Professional Regulation

861 Silver Lake Blvd., Conference Room B Cannon Bldg., Dover, Delaware 19904

MINUTES FOR APPROVAL: January 14, 2020

# **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Dr. Lois Rogers, Professional Member, President Ray Quillen, Professional Member Georgia Lane, Healthcare Member, Secretary Denise Davis, DrPH, Public Member J.R. Payne, Jr., Professional Member Eleanor Allione, Public Member

# **MEMBERS ABSENT**

Gwendolyn Benton, Public Member, Vice-President Jenifer Vaughn, Public Member Cecilia Jones, Public Member

#### **DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT**

Jennifer Singh, Deputy Attorney General Jennifer Witte, Administrative Specialist II

#### **OTHERS PRESENT**

Kyle Whelan Steven Yohay Nykeesha Brown

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

Dr. Rogers called the meeting to order at 1:10 p.m.

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#### **REVIEW OF MINUTES**

A motion was made by Ms. Allione, seconded by Mr. Quillen, to approve the minutes from the September 10, 2019 meeting as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

# **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

# <u>Update on Compliance to Final Order – J. Andrew Byrd, #H1-0000902</u>

Ms. Witte advised that the Board that Mr. Byrd is now compliant on his final order with Delaware and all licenses have been reinstated in Virginia.

# Review and Consider Final Order – Kristopher Brown

The Board signed the Final Order resulting from the proposal to deny hearing that was held on September 10, 2019.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

## Ratify Nursing Home AIT Change in Preceptor Requests

A motion was made by Mr. Quillen, seconded by Ms. Lane, to ratify the change in preceptor request of Kyle Whelan. The motion carried unanimously.

Annette Moore will now serve as a preceptor to Kyle Whelan.

#### Review of AIT Progress Reports

After review, a motion was made by Mr. Quillen, seconded by Ms. Allione, to accept the AIT progress report of Felisha Alderson. The motion carried unanimously.

#### Approval of Continuing Education Activities

After review, a motion was made by Mr. Quillen, seconded by Mr. Payne, to approve the Health Care Association of New Jersey (HCANJ) course "HCANJ 71st Annual Convention and Expo" for 18 hours. The motion carried unanimously.

After review, a motion was made by Mr. Quillen, seconded Ms. Lane, to approve The Mary Campbell Center course "Leadership Series, Session 5: Using Data to Drive Quality; Managing Conflict; and Exceptional Service" for 3 hours. The motion carried unanimously.

#### Review Nursing Home AIT Applications

After review, a motion was made by Dr. Rogers, seconded by Ms. Allione, to approve Shirley Thompson for 12 month AIT program. The motion carried unanimously.

After review, a motion was made by Dr. Rogers, seconded by Ms. Allione, to approve Steven Smith for 12 month AIT program. The motion carried unanimously.

After review, a motion was made by Mr. Quillen, seconded by Mr. Payne, to approve Nykeesha Brown for 6 month AIT program. The motion carried unanimously.

## Ratify Temporary Nursing Home Administrator Applications

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A motion was made by Mr. Quillen, seconded by Mr. Payne, to approve the ratified temporary nursing home administrator application of Archie Poling. The motion carried unanimously.

<u>Discussion on Temporary Nursing Home Administrator License Extension</u>

The Board held a brief discussion on temporary nursing home administrator licenses.

Ms. Witte advised that there was a situation where a person has acquired a temporary nursing home administrator license but also wanting to obtain a nursing home administrator in training license.

The Board was in agreement that a temporary nursing home administrator cannot do both the role as administrator and be supervised to obtain a different license.

The Board was also in agreement that there was no basis or need for changing the current process for temporary nursing home administrator licenses.

Review AIT Final Progress Reports

After review, a motion was made by Mr. Quillen, seconded by Mr. Payne, to approve the final AIT progress report of Steven Yohay and approve him to sit for the examination. The motion carried unanimously.

# **CORRESPONDENCE**

There was no correspondence.

## OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD

There was no other business before the Board.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

There was no public comment.

#### **NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting will be January 14, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. in Conference Room B.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, a motion was made by Ms. Allione, seconded by Mr. Quillen, to adjourn the meeting at 2:00 p.m. The motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

, Jennifer Q. Witte

Administrative Specialist II